

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-9, 15, 18, 19 and 22-34 are pending. By this Amendment, claim 19 is amended. Support for the amendments to claim 19 can be found, for example, in original claim 19. No new matter is added. In view of the foregoing amendments and following remarks, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Allowable Subject Matter

Applicants thank the Examiner for the indication in the Office Action that claims 1-9, 15, 18 and 22-34 are allowed.

Rejection Under 35 U.S.C. §112, Second Paragraph

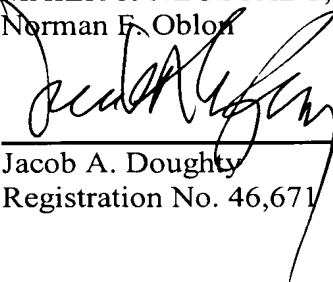
The Office Action rejects claim 19 as indefinite under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph. By this Amendment, claim 19 is amended to obviate the rejection. Accordingly, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection are respectfully requested.

Conclusion

For the foregoing reasons, Applicants submit that claims 1-9, 15, 18, 19 and 22-34 are in condition for allowance. Prompt reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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